



ANS Treasurer Charles Pryer Correspondence 1899

Part of: American Numismatic Society, Treasurer Charles Pryer correspondence, receipts, and other material, [1890]-1910.

Main Correspondents: Charles Pryer; Bauman L. Belden; Henry Russell Drowne; Archer M. Huntington; Herbert Valentine.

Other Correspondents: William E. Dodge; Charles Howe Hutchinson; Clarence M. Hyde; Juliana M.W. Hunter; Thomas L. De Vinne & Co, The De Vinne Press.

Main Subjects: New members; the Ulysses S. Grant medal; the 'Canadian Numismatic and Antiquarian Journal'.

ANS Members as Subjects: Benjamin C. Williams [not resigning].

Letters from New Members: William E. Dodge; Charles Howe Hutchinson; Clarence M. Hyde; [John Reid Nicholson].

Noted Documents:

- Belden: Handwritten List of Life Members [Jan 17]
- Dodge: ANS Acceptance letter from Drowne? [Jan. 17]
- Belden: Benjamin C. Williams has withdrawn his resignation [Feb. 21]
- Huntington: Does not feel prepared enough at this time to read a paper before the ANS [Mar. 16]
- Belden: New members elected [Mar. 21, 25, 28]
- Belden: Corresponding Secretary's Annual Report, (includes the Grant medal report) [Mar. 21]
- Juliana M.W. Hunter's ANS bill has been "destroyed or mislaid" so she sends her dues without a bill [Apr. 11]
- The De Vinne Press: Sends prices for furnishing pamphlets [May 1]
- Belden: Further new members elected [May 17, 24]
- Valentine: Will handle the 'Canadian Numismatic and Antiquarian Journal' subscription correspondence [Oct. 25]
- Belden: Further new members elected [Nov. 27]

See Also: American Numismatic Society, Early Correspondence, 1899.

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, Jan 17 1899

Dear Mr. Pryor:-

I am very sorry to hear that you are unwell and hope you will soon be "in deck" again.

The meeting last night passed off nicely, we elected twenty one members. I enclose a list. I have notified them all so you will probably get some checks before long. I would be very glad if you would keep me posted as to who qualifies and whether life or annual.

I also enclose a bill which has been approved

Next time you write to me will you send me a blank bill?

I suppose you have noted the death of Mr John A. Gray.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours

Druman H. Smith

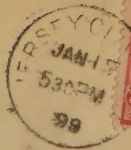
Mr. Charles Pryor

P.S. I enclosed your envelopes with the notifications of election and requested that the checks be sent to you so it will not be necessary to send out any bills. I gave the amount as \$20. thinking it better to do that than ask them to pay the initiation only now and then send them a bill in March for the other ten.

Henry Clinton Backus. 489 W. 22nd St. New York
 Stephen Baker. 119 W 55th St. "
 Henry R. Bishop 887 Fifth Ave. "
 Henry C. Carter 475 W 143rd St. "
 W. E. Dodge 262 Madison Ave. "
 Rev. D. Stuart Dodge 225 Madison Ave. "
 John F. Erdmann M.D. 149 W. 44th St. "
 Rev. Francis Goodwin PO Box 345 Hartford Conn.
 George A. Hearn 46 E. 69th St. New York
 Archer M. Huntington Pleasant Baychester "
 Charles Hare Hutchinson 1617 Walnut St. Philadelphia.
 Clarence M. Hyde 206 Madison Ave. New York.
 E. Francis Hyde 835 Fifth Ave. "
 Lloyd Thornif 21 East 33rd St. "
 Murray C. Poole Ithaca N.Y.
 Philip Rhinelandor 32 E. 39th St. New York
 Jacob N. Schiff 27 Pine St. "
 John Noble Stearns 10 W. 58th St. "
 Cornelius Vanderbilt Grand Central Depot. "
 Wm N. Vanderbilt " " " "
 Charles J. Mills 156 Fifth Ave. "

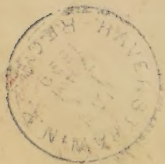
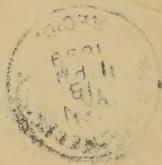
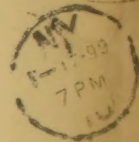
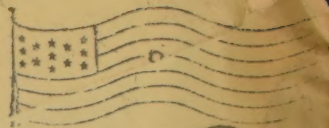


THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AND ARCHÆOLOGICAL SOCIETY,
17 WEST 43D STREET, NEW YORK.



Mr. Charles Tyeen
New Rochelle
New York

MISSENT



The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 48d Street,

New York, January 17th 1899



Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to inform you that you were elected a life member of this Society at a meeting held on the 16th instant.

Please send the amount of the life membership fee, - one hundred dollars, to the Treasurer.

Very respectfully,

Recording Secretary

W. E. Dodge, Esq.,

262 Madison Ave., City.

Philadelphia
January 18th/99
1617 Walnut Street

Mr. Charles Pryer,
Treasurer &c

I enclose my
Cheque for one hundred
dollars in payment of life-
membership in the American
Numismatic & Archaeological
Society

Faithfully Yours
C. H. Hutchinson

WILLIAM E. DODGE,
NEW YORK.

11 CLIFF STREET.

Jan 18/79

Charles Poyer Esq

Dear Sir

At the request
of Mr W. E. Dodge I send
you enclosed cheque for
\$100⁰⁰ in payment of life
membership as per enclosed
notice. Please send him
the proper certificate.

Yrs Respy
Wm Jay Hunt

206 Madison Ave.,
New York. July 19, 1899

Mr. Charles Dyer, Treas.
American Numismatic &
Archaeological Society,

Dear Sir:

Enclosed I hand you
check \$20.- in payment of my
initiation fee and annual dues,
as per notice received from the
Recording Secretary of the Society.

Yours truly,

Clarence M. Hyde

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York,

Feb 6 1899



Dear Mr. Pryor:-

Your note received.

I am glad to hear that all but three of the new members have qualified and hope you will hear from them before long.

I have called an Executive Committee meeting for Thursday (9th) at 8:30. hope to see you there.

Will you let us know on Thursday Evening how much money we have waiting investment?

With kind regards

Cordially yours

Samuel H. Butler

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York, FEB 21 1899

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Dear Mr. Poyer:-

Mr Benjamin C. Williams
has withdrawn his resignation
and sent me a check for his
next year's dues which I
enclose herewith. Please send
him a receipt - to 44 New St. -

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours,

Samuel H. Butler

PLEASANCE
BAYCHESTER, NEW YORK CITY

March 16th, 1899.

Henry R. Drowne Esq.,

Chairman Committee on Papers etc.,

My Dear Sir:

Yours of March 4th is at hand, and, although it would give me the greatest pleasure to read a paper before the American Numismatic and Archeological Society, and I should feel honored in so doing, I regret that I have not at this moment the time available for the preparation necessary to such a paper. At another time I should be most happy to read as you suggest.

Thanking you for your attention

I am

Yours truly,

Richard M. Huntington

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, March 21 1899

Dear Mr. Lloyd:

The following resident members were elected

at the meeting last evening:-

P. Arthur Ayer 102 Chambers St. New York.

Mrs. A. P. Bailey 181 Madison Ave "

C. H. Rubin 27 Pine St. "

Edward Brewster Nelson. Principal Central N.Y. Institution for Deaf Mutes
Rome N.Y.

John Reid Nicholson Dover Delaware,

Minnie Page (Life Member) 11 East 61st St New York.

De Witt S. Smith Lee Mass.

Howard Townsend 29 West 39th St New York

Felix M. Warburg 18 East 72nd St "

James Harold Warner 120 Broadway "

Edwin H. Weatherbe 240 Madison Ave. "

Worce White 18 West 69th St "

Walter Wood 400 Broadway New York.

In her application for membership Mrs. Bailey gives her name as "Mrs. A. P. Bailey." not Eliza M. Bailey so it seems to me her name should be so entered in the

books and communications showed to us address &
I accordingly took the liberty of changing it on the
bill for his initiation fee before sending it to him.
I will notify you promptly when I hear from any
of the new members.

With kind regards believe me,

Cordially yours

Samuel L. Mearns
Assoc.

Mr Charles Boyer
Treasurer

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, March 2, 1899

Dear Mr. Taylor:-

I enclose the following checks -

Walter Wood 400 Chestnut St. Philadelphia, Pa. Membership
fee \$100.00

Almonia H. Payson 11 East 61st St. N.Y. Life membership fee \$100.00

Felix M. Hartung 18 East 72nd St. N.Y. " " " \$100.00

B. Arthur Ayer 102 Chambers St. N.Y. Initiation fee and
dues to March 19, 1900 \$20.00

Mrs. M.P. Bailey 181 Madison Ave N.Y. dues to March 19, 1900 \$10.00

Making \$330.00 in all. Please send them received bills.

Mr. O.H. Kahn 37 Pine St. has accepted without sending
check please send him a bill for initiation fee
and dues to March 19, 1900.

I will let you know as soon as I hear from
any more of the new members. This is a pretty good
start.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours

Samuel L. Butler

Wm. Charles Carter, Treasurer

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York, MAR 28 1899 189



Dear Mr. Pryor:-

Have just received an other
life membership fee, De Witt S. Smith
Lee, Mass. I enclose his check for \$100.
please send him a receipt.

I also have acceptance of election from
Howard Townsend 29 West 34th St. New
York. please send him a bill for
initiation fee and dues to March 19
1900.

With kind regards and hoping
to see you on Thursday I am

Cordially yours

Samuel H. Brown

Mr. Charles Pryor

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, March 26, 1888

Dear Mr. Pryor:-

I enclose the Frank Medal report as requested, when the report for publications is ready please let me have it as it is the only thing I need to put the proceedings in shape to turn over to the Publication Committee:

I enclose check for \$20.00 from Augustus W. Bradley for initiation fee and dues, please send him a receipt his address is 60 Broadway.

Please send a bill for initiation fee and dues to your member John Kenneth Olyphant 21 Cortlandt St. N.Y. as I have his acceptance of election.

President Fabrick has re-appointed you a member of the Committee on Papers and Publications.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours,
William H. Stetson
Rec Secy

Wm Charles Pryor
Treasurer

March 21st 1898

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S ANNUAL REPORT.

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Mr. President and Members of the

American Numismatic & Archaeological Society:-

As I have been absent from the City during the greater part of the past year, I have but little to report except regarding the U. S. Grant Medals; such correspondence as I have received and answered pertaining to other matters having been of no great importance. A few of our Corresponding Members have sent in their resignations, but most of them have expressed a desire to have their names retained on the roll.

By a vote of the Society, ten Silver Grant Medals were struck and reserved for presentation as follows:-

a few days later Col. Frederick Grant wrote a letter thanking the Society in his Mother's name. A Medal was presented to President McKinley at the Windsor Hotel, by a Committee; they also presented one to Mayor Strong at his residence. Through the kindness of Archbishop Corrigan, I was enabled to forward to Rome a Medal which was presented to Pope Leo XIII, and His Holiness sent the Society a most graceful letter of acceptance and thanks. All of the other Medals have been forwarded to their high destinations by Mr. George Frederick Kunz and myself. The gentlemen of the various Foreign Legations, to whom I have applied, have been most courteous and have done all in their power to assist in having the Medals presented with all possible dispatch.

The Society has received letters of acceptance and thanks from the Rulers to whom Medals have been presented.

Six Silver Grant Medals were entrusted to me to be presented to the following Sovereigns:-

defrayed by them. The King of Sweden and Norway, the King of Italy, the Emperor of Austria and the Queen of The Netherlands have sent most courteous letters of acceptance and thanks; The King of Spain has not replied, and it is too soon to have heard from the Emperor of China and The Viceroy Li-Hung-Chang.

There was also sent by private subscription a Bronze Grant Medal to General Joaquin Crespo, President of The Republic of Venezuela, his Son kindly consenting to be the bearer. The Society has received an autograph letter of thanks from President Crespo.

While in Paris last summer three bronze Grant Medals were given to me, to be placed where I thought best, in the name of the Society. One I presented to the Mint Museum, the gift being subsequently acknowledged by a call from one of the officials and letters of thanks to the Society. ~~Another medal~~
~~was presented to the King of Siam, who was in Paris at the~~
~~time, and a letter of acknowledgement was received from the~~
~~Consul of Siam.~~ The last of the three Medals was presented to Monseigneur le Duc d'Orleans, who was then in England, in remembrance of the services rendered to the United States Army during the late war, by his Father, le Comte de Paris. A letter of thanks has been received from Monseigneur le Duc.

~~Most of the Medals referred to were in white kid~~
~~cases stamped with gold and lined with royal purple satin.~~

While in Paris I presented in the name of the Society two Bronze Medals of the late Dr. Muhlenburg, one to the Paris Numismatic Society, and one to the Mint Museum, both of which have been duly acknowledged.

J. L. Smith
June 1881

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, APR 4 1899 189

Dear Mr. Pryor:-

I have acceptance of election from
John Reid Nicholson, Dover, Delaware. Please
send him a bill for initiation fee and dues
for current year.

This leaves three members yet to hear from. if
any of them should send direct to you please
let me know.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours

William H. Miller

Mr. Charles Pryor
Treasurer

40 West 59th St

Mr Charles Pryor

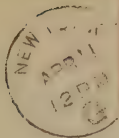
Dear Sir-

My bill from the
American Numismatic and
Archaeological Society has been
destroyed, or mislaid -
therefore I send my dues
without a bill

Yours truly,

Juliana M. W. Hunter

April 11th



Mr Charles Payer.
New Rochelle
New York

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, APR 18 1899 189

My Dear Mr. Fryer:-

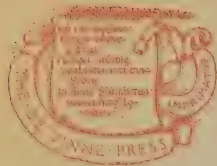
Yours of 16th received. I will write again to Messrs. Nelson and Warner if we do not hear from them before very long. Regarding Mr. John Reid Nicholson, I had a letter from him some time ago accepting his election and asking where to send the amount of initiation fee and dues. If you have not already sent him a bill please send one, if you have you will probably hear from him before long, I think I wrote to you at the time I received his letter.

I was sorry to have missed you and Mr. Satter when you were at Mr. Jacobus's office. I was detained and did not get there until you had left.

With kind regards believe me

Cordially you

William L. Scott



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NEW-YORK.

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Theo. L. De Vinne & Co.

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The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York,

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My dear Mr. Tyson:-

The following members were elected on

Monday:-

Gen. Wm J. Fryker Trenton N.J.
Rev. C. B. Burroughs Darlington S.C.
Miss Mary Ferguson 12 Union St. Hartford Conn.
Thos Murray Mitchell 20 Broad St N.Y.
Portland Field Bishop 13 Madison Ave. N.Y.

I have notified them all and will advise you
as soon as I hear from any of them

Cordially yours

Wmman H. Wood

Mr. Charles Tyson

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York, _____ 189



My dear Mr. Pysk.:—

I Enclose herewith check for \$20. for initiation fee and dues for current year from Edward Henry Nelson. Principal of Central New York Institution for Deaf Mutes Rome, New York. also check for \$100. for life membership fee from Henry Ferguson 123 Vernon St. Hartford Conn. please send them receipts.

I also have acceptance of election from Gen. William D. Stryker Fredston N. please send him a bill for initiation fee and two years' dues.

This brave gentleman, John Pierce, R.O.C.B. Burroughs and John Murray Wilson. I yet to hear from also a number of others who was elected in March. I will let you know as soon as I hear from any of them. Have you heard from John and William?
With kind regards I am Truly yours
William D. Stryker

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, June 13 1899

Dear Mr. Pysa:-

Mr. Tod has withdrawn his resignation,
and I enclose his check for this year's dues, please
send him a receipt.

Have no new acceptances.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours
Samuel H. Pysa

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,

New York, Oct. 25th 1899.



Dear Mr. Pyer,

In regard to the subscription to the Canadian Numis. & Antig. Journal, I think it will, perhaps, be better for me to do the correspondence. There are some back numbers which we need to make our set complete. I will therefore write to Montreal in reference to these matters, & get them to send the bill to you.

Very truly yours,

Herbert Valentine

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The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, Nov 1 1899

My dear Mr. Pryor:

Your note at hand, I have written to Messrs Mitchell and Warner so do not send them bills just now.

I am much obliged to you for forwarding the letter, also for Dr. Lillard's letter, which I sent to Mr. Zabriskie, of course I did not write Dr. Lillard about his dues, I would go to see him if I had the time but am afraid I will not be able to manage it just now.

With kind regards I am

Cordially yours

Barman

Mr. Charles Pryor

The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE BUILDING,

17 West 43d Street,



New York, *Nov 17* 1899

My dear Mr. Pyer:-

I enclose check for \$20.00 for initiation fee and dues from Wm. John Murray Mitchell, 20 Broad Street New York, please send him a receipt.

I believe the Rev. E. D. Burroughs is the only new member who has not qualified, am I right and have you heard any thing of Mr. Burroughs?

On Monday last we elected as resident member Michel P. Veasto of Green. Ralli Bldg, 13 & 15 Old Slip New York. I have notified him and will let you know as soon as I hear from him, do not send him a bill until you hear from me.

With kind regards

Cordially yours

William H. Padesky

Mr. Charles Pyer, Treasurer